

## **MINUTES**

### **MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

#### **COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

**Call to Order:** Chair Sarah Laszloffy, on April 20, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 137 Capitol

#### **ROLL CALL**

##### **Members Present:**

Rep. Sarah Laszloffy, Chair (R)  
Rep. Debra Lamm, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Bryce Bennett (D)  
Rep. Moffie Funk (D)  
Rep. Edward Greef (R)  
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)  
Rep. Kathy Kelker (D)  
Rep. G. Bruce Meyers (R)  
Rep. Jean Price (D)  
Rep. Susan Webber (D)

**Members Excused:** Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Jeff Essmann (R)  
Rep. Matthew Monforton (R)  
Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)  
Rep. Nicholas Schwaderer (R)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Laura Sankey, Legislative Branch  
Nadia Zylawy, Committee Secretary

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

##### **Committee Business Summary:**

Hearing & Date Posted: HJ 32, 4/16/2015

Excecutive Action: HJ 32

00:00:02 Chair Laszloffy  
00:00:37 *Rep. McClafferty entered.*

### **HEARING ON HJ 32**

#### **Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

00:01:10 Rep. Tom Woods (D), HD 62, opened the hearing on HJ 32, Interim study of MUS computer systems efficiency.

00:01:27 *Rep. Schwaderer entered.*

00:03:06 *Rep. Essmann entered.*

**Proponents' Testimony:** None

**Opponents' Testimony:** None

#### **Informational Testimony:**

00:05:31 Tyler Trevor, Deputy Commissioner, Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education (OCHE)  
*Rep. McClafferty entered.*

#### **Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

00:05:52 Rep. Meyers  
00:06:50 Rep. Woods  
00:07:39 Rep. Meyers  
00:07:51 Rep. Woods  
00:08:16 Rep. Kelker  
00:08:52 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:10:06 Rep. Kelker  
00:10:14 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:10:53 Rep. Funk  
00:12:01 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:13:37 Rep. Essmann  
00:14:00 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:14:27 Rep. Essmann  
00:14:53 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:15:24 Rep. Lamm  
00:15:45 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:16:22 Rep. Lamm  
00:16:29 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:17:14 Rep. Greef  
00:17:53 Rep. Woods  
00:18:29 Rep. B. Bennett  
00:19:01 Tyler Trevor, OCHE  
00:19:23 Rep. Price  
00:20:26 Tyler Trevor, OCHE

#### **Closing by Sponsor:**

00:21:19 Rep. Woods

00:23:04 Chair Laszloffy  
00:23:30 *Vice Chair Lamm exits. Rep. Hertz assumes VC position.*

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HJ 32**

00:23:42 **Motion:** Rep. Hertz moved that **HJ 32 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:23:50 Rep. Essmann  
00:25:21 Rep. Schwaderer  
00:26:56 Rep. Kelker  
00:28:35 Rep. Greef  
00:29:03 Rep. Price  
00:29:38 Rep. Webber  
00:31:20 Rep. Hertz

00:31:36 **Vote:** Motion carried 10-5 by roll call vote with Rep. Essmann, Rep. Hertz, Rep. Lamm, Rep. Laszloffy and Rep. Monforton voting no. Rep. Lamm, Rep. Monforton and Rep. Salomon voted by proxy.

00:32:43 Chair Laszloffy  
00:33:04 Rep. Meyers  
00:33:25 Chair Laszloffy

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 00:33:56

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Nadia Zylawy, Secretary

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